NOVEL USES OF NON-PEPTIDE BOMBESIN RECEPTOR ANTAGONISTS

ABSTRACT

Method using a compound of Formula I for the diagnosis, prevention, or treatment of anxiety, social phobia and panic disorders, pulmonary hypertension, lung repair and lung development disorders, prostate cancer, pancreatic cancer, hepatic porphyria, visceral pain, gastrointestinal secretory disturbances including duodenal ulcer and *Helicobacter pylori* infection, emesis or anorexia in particular in patients receiving anticancer agents, sexual dysfunctions, and neuropathic pain.

Compounds used have the following formula

where Ar, Ar¹, R¹, R², R³, R⁴, R⁵, R⁶, R⁷, R⁸, R⁹, j, k, l, m and n are as defined in the description.

The invention also relates to a method for diagnosing or treating cancers using a radiolabelled compound of Formula I, and further to a method for treating cancers using a conjugate of a compound of Formula I with a cytotoxic agent.

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